Governor Musgrove Announces Intent to Call Special Session on Medical Malpractice Insurance

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(Jackson, MS) – Governor Ronnie Musgrove announced today that he would call a special session this summer to address the issues of cost and availability of medical malpractice insurance.

"We are looking at some innovative ideas that will offer our health care providers stable and affordable insurance," Musgrove stated during his remarks to the Mississippi Economic Council's Annual Conference Luncheon. "This is about more than just civil justice reform; it is about ensuring access to quality health care for the people of Mississippi."

The Governor and members of his staff have been working with professionals to develop the plan since early spring. The Governor will work with the legislative leadership over the next several weeks and will present the details of the plan for the special session within the next couple of months.